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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT SEATTLE

8 MELVIN J. KELLY,)
9 Plaintiff,) CASE NO. C16-0522RSM
10 v.) ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
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12 WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT)
13 OF TRANSPORTATION, *et al.*,)
14 Defendants.)

15 *Pro Se* Plaintiff, Melvin J. Kelly, filed a Complaint in this matter on April 19, 2016. Dkt.
16 #1. Plaintiff raises allegations of employment discrimination arising out of an injury he suffered
17 while working. Dkt. #3. Plaintiff was granted *in forma pauperis* status, and blank summonses
18 were issued to him the same day the Complaint was filed; however, there is no indication that
19 this matter has ever been served, and no Defendants have ever appeared.
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21 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4 sets forth the procedure for serving the Defendants in
22 this matter. Rule 4(m) requires that service be made within 90 days of filing the Complaint.
23 Plaintiff has failed to show proof of service on any of the Defendants. Accordingly, **no later**
24 **than twenty-one (21) days from the date of this Order**, Plaintiff shall SHOW CAUSE why his
25 case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute.
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27 The Clerk shall send a copy of this Order to Plaintiff at 5938 18th Ave. SW, Seattle, WA
28 98106.

DATED this 12th day of April, 2017.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Martinez', is positioned above a horizontal line.

RICARDO S. MARTINEZ
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE